



To whom it may concern

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## Service Partnership Agreement between Winterthur Gas & Diesel and Wärtsilä

Dear Supplier,

As you may know, in 2015 and 2016 Wärtsilä Corporation sold Wärtsilä Switzerland to China State Shipbuilding Corporation. Before these transactions took place, it spun-off the 2-stroke related service activities into a company called Wärtsilä Services Switzerland which was setup new. The former Wärtsilä Switzerland was renamed Winterthur Gas and Diesel Ltd (WinGD). WinGD as developer of 2-stroke diesel and dual fuel engines remained the owner of the related intellectual property rights (irrespective of the fact that still today, many of the WinGD owned drawings are labelled with the Wärtsilä Logo).

WinGD and Wärtsilä recently concluded to extend its services partnership relating to all 2-stroke engines (Sulzer, Wärtsilä and WinGD brands) for another 10 years.

In this context, the parties also clarified and agreed that – irrespective of the license granted by WinGD to Wärtsilä - all suppliers are entitled to directly sell their products not only to Wärtsilä, but also to WinGD (further information can be found under [www.wingd.com](http://www.wingd.com)).

Therefore, we would like to clarify that all components and parts which are not exclusively based on Wärtsilä IPR (e.g. WinGD, third parties) are not covered by the Intellectual Property Right clause of the Supply & Purchasing Agreements and Non-Disclosure Agreements (NDAs) entered into between some of the suppliers and Wärtsilä.

Should you have questions please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely,

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